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MALAYSIAN UNIVERSITY ENGLISH TEST

PAPER 1 LISTENING

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50 Minutes

Instructions to candidates:

DO NOT OPEN THIS QUESTION PAPER UNTIL YOU ARE TOLD TO DO SO.

The test consists of **five** *parts: Part I, Part II, Part III, Part IV and Part V.*

Each part comprises a recording.

You will listen to each recording twice.

Answer the questions as you listen and indicate your answers on the Multiple-choice Answer Sheet provided.

You will be given time to read the questions when the test begins.

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Part 1

Listen to a conversation between two friends, Alice and Duncan, about their planned holiday. As you listen, choose the correct answer for questions **1** *to* **7**.

1 The conversation between Alice and Duncan took place

A before the examination week

B during the examination week

C after the examination week

2 Duncan was not at the meeting because

A he had to go for an exam

B he had to finish his project

C he had to work on weekends

3 Lily will miss the Kiaora Mountains trip because

A her parents want her to sit for a test

B her family is taking her to South Africa

C her legs are not strong for such a holiday

4 Who suggested going to Kiaora Mountains for the trip?

A Alice

B Joshua

C Sandra

5 Which of the following received the most comments about Kiaora Mountains?

A Its cafes

B Its views

C Its people

6 Duncan chose the camp and the youth hostel to

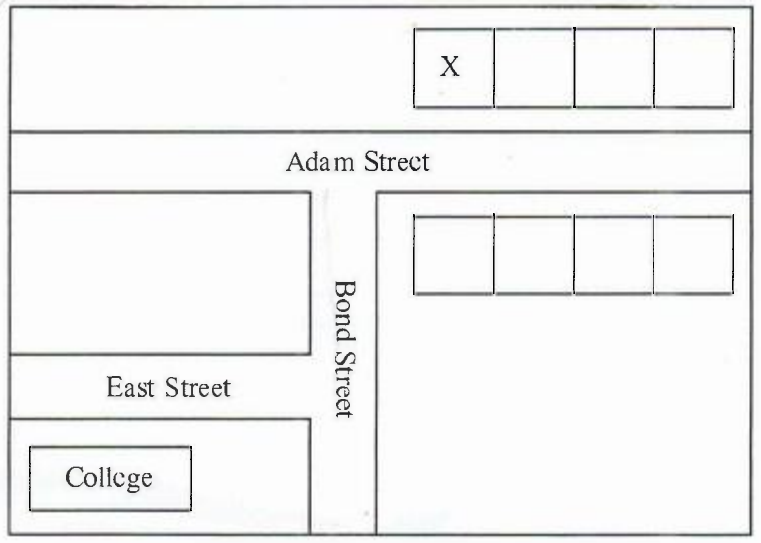
A save money for the cafes

B show his outdoor life skills

C make sure everyone is warm at night

7 Which picture shows where Yuni Inn is?

A



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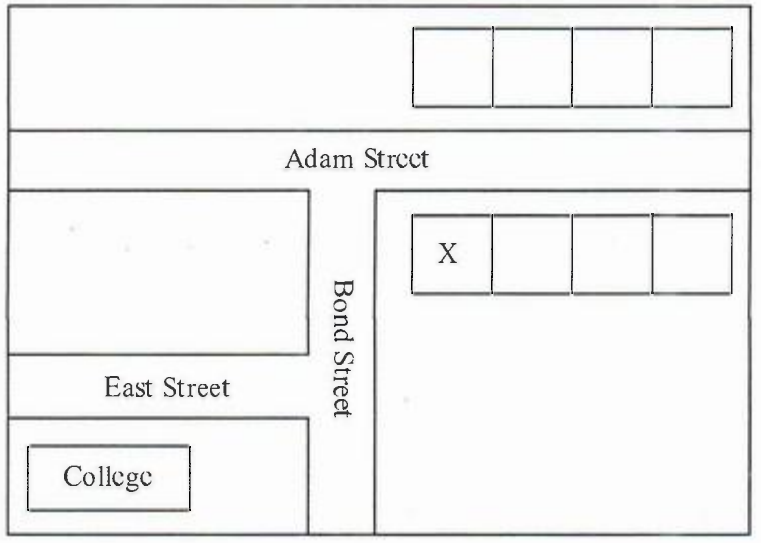

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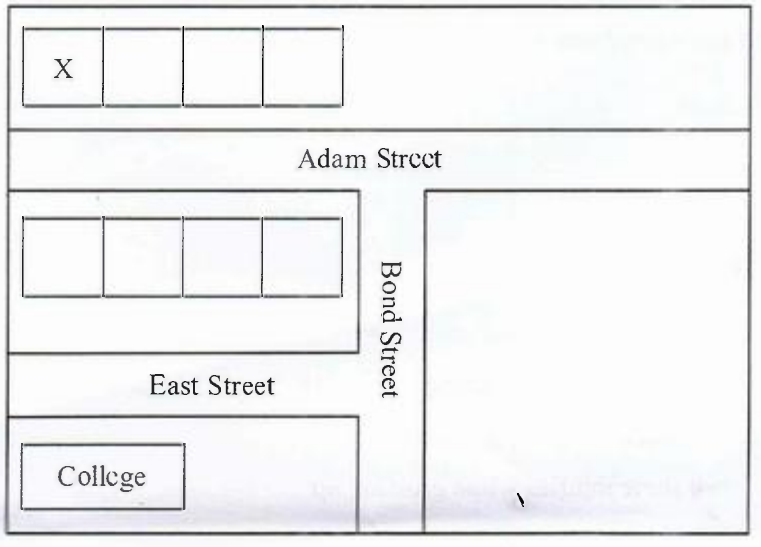

Part II

Listen to a talk by Brenda, a child-care consultant, on safety in the house. As you listen, choose the correct answer for questions **8** *to* **14**.

8 For a child starting to walk, it is most important to

A feed him good food

B watch him during play

C give him space to move

9 We should keep the rooms closed to

A stop children from being curious

B keep children from dangerous items

C prevent children from making a mess

10 Which items must be put high in the kitchen?

A Pots and pans

B Electric kettle and oven

C Knives, forks and spoons

11 Children should not be at the balcony because

A they can slip pass the bars

B they can destroy the plants

C they can knock over the furniture

12 A child may experience emotional problems if

A he strained his voice box

B he fainted due to poor breathing

C he trapped himself in a closed space

13 Danger occurs when a child

A plays on a dirty floor

B eats what he thinks is food

C has a habit of picking things up

14 At the end of the speech, the speaker advised parents to

A encourage children to grow physically strong

B protect children at this crucial stage of growth

C let children experience some injuries while growing up

Part III

Listen to three people, Hanan, Ibrahim and Anaya, talking about their satisfaction of running a food truck.

For questions **15** *to* **17**, *choose from the list* **A** *to* **E**, *the main satisfaction of running a food truck according to each speaker. Use the letters only once.*

There are two extra options which you do not need to use.

Satisfaction of Running a Food Truck
A Flexible schedule
B Creative freedom
C Low costs
D Community connection
E Better income

Main satisfaction:

15 Hanan A

16 Ibrahim E / ~~B~~

17 Anaya B

Part IV

Listen to a radio interview between Sophea, a host and Dylan, the CEO of Talkies, a social media app. As you listen, choose the correct answer for questions **18** *to* **24**.

18 Ted Thompson is the person who

A selected Dylan as the CEO of Talkies

B was behind the development of Talkies

C introduced Talkies to university management

19 Talkies is reasonably good because

A it spreads ideas in a short time

B it removes robots automatically

C it allows people to discuss issues

20 People lose trust in Talkies because

A they receive posts that contain incorrect information

B their posts fail to be picked up and shared with other users

C many posts deceive them into giving away personal details

21 Talkies wins the trust of users by

A explaining how the system operates

B hiring experienced computer experts

C being honest about changes made to posts

22 To prevent people from sending negative messages, Dylan suggested

A giving warnings to the users

B closing the accounts of users

C controlling the content written by users

23 Sophea believes that

A irresponsible users will lose supporters

B users who are suspended will get publicity

C controversial issues posted by users will make Talkies popular

24 In the future, Talkies will

A take action against users with bad intention

B concentrate on fact-checking in some regions

C allow users to inform of misleading statement

Part V

Dialogue1

Listen to an interview between Anita, a sports journalist and Takeshi, a Sumo wrestler in Japan. As you listen, choose the correct answer for questions **25** *and* **26**.

25 Takeshi feels that he should retire because

A he has achieved his career goals

B he finds the next championship challenging

C he wants to follow the example of senior wrestlers

26 Why is Takeshi promoting Sumo wrestling?

A It gives value to age-old traditions and customs.

B It opens up opportunities for enthusiastic youths.

C It deserves top position in the world sports scene.

Dialogue 2

Listen to a conversation between Cindy, a student and Mr Jomo, a graphic artist, on comics. As you listen, choose the correct answer for questions **27** *and* **28**.

27 Which type of comic sells the best?

A Stories in series

B Content with humour

C Characters having unusual power

28 The shapes of speech balloons are influenced by the

A kinds of comics

B size of the dialogue text

C personal preference of the artist

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Listen to an interview between Laila, a radio host and Professor Andrew, a researcher, about dreams. As you listen, choose the correct answer for questions **29** *and* **30**.

29 Why did Professor Andrew go into the study of dreams?

A He found his own dreams fascinating.

B He was inspired by movies on dreams.

C He wanted to be among the first to explore dreams.

30 Scientists study dreams to

A document the intense events happening in dreams

B observe physical movements while the person dreams

C identify areas in the brain that stay active during dreams

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